

PARK NEWSLETTER



*Ensuring every individual achieves their best through high expectations for all;
with a focus on confidence, creativity, care and aspiration.*

24th June 2019

☆☆☆ Stars of the Week ☆☆☆

Reception & Key Stage 1

Safiyah and Adomas in Reception.
Ravneet, Joseph and Tazmin in Year 1.
Ashraf, Anastasia and Freddie in Year 2.

Lower Key Stage 2

Hana, Emel and Deen in Year 3.
Sofia, Michelle and Alejandro in Year 4.

Upper Key Stage 2

Alex, Perneet and Lissette in Year 5.
Suine, Abdelkhahar and Diya in Year 6.

Assistant Head Teachers' Stars of the Week

Miss Cook's star is Freddie in Key Stage 1.
Miss Patora's star is Oscar in Lower Key Stage 2.
Mr Walker's star is Eva in Upper Key Stage 2.

Attendance Stars

Columbus Class and Marco Polo Classes in Reception and Key Stage 1 with 99.2%.
Da Vinci, Edison and Brunel Classes in Lower Key Stage 2 with 99%.
Rosa Parks Class in Upper Key Stage 2 with 100%.

Overall Attendance: 95.9% 😞
Overall Attendance Target: 96%



Punctuality Stars

Congratulations to **Columbus Class** who achieved 100% punctuality this week.

Early Years Educator Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for an Early Years Educator. Further details are available on the school website.



<http://park.newham.sch.uk/our-school/vacancies/>

Closes: Tuesday 2nd July

Pride of Park

We were delighted to hear of the kind and generous actions of Grace, one of our Year 3 children, this weekend.



Grace had decided that she would like to do something to help others, so she

arranged a cake sale in aid of Hope on the Streets, a local initiative for the homeless.

Grace selflessly gave many hours of her time to organise the sale; arrange for leaflets to be given to her classmates to drum up support; to create her delicious



goods for sale; and to man the stall and sell her sweet treats.

Grace raised an incredible £256.29 for Hope on the Streets. We'd like to thank Grace's friends and their families for supporting her but most of all, we'd like to thank Grace for being such an inspiration to us all.



Well done Grace!



Summer Reading Challenge - On your marks, get set, go!

Children in Reception through to Year 5 have been visiting the library this week. They cannot wait to get started with the Summer Reading Challenge. All the children are eager to defend our title and win the award for the school with the highest number of participants for the Stratford area. Please support us to achieve this by visiting the library over the summer. More importantly though, please encourage your child to visit the library over the summer so that they can spend time exploring the amazing range of books that is open to them.



Miss Chandrarajah

After School Clubs - Healthy Snacks

Please remind your children that their after school club snack should be a healthy one. A piece of fruit or a sandwich would be appropriate.

Please do not bring ice-creams to your children in the playground for their after school snack. Year 6 children who are allowed to walk home alone are not allowed to bring ice-creams back into the playground for their friends. Thank you for your support.

Year 4 visit to a Hindu Temple

On Monday Year 4 visited a Hindu temple as part of the RE curriculum. They then went on to the Olympic Park, as part of field work week, to complete observational drawings of the redevelopment. They identified ways in which the space is environmentally friendly, and discussed ways to make it more environmentally friendly.



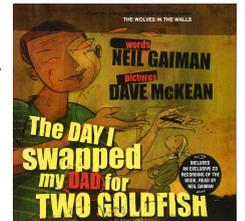
This week...

Word of the Week

In Collective Worship this week the children in Key Stage 1 are talking about 'families' and Key Stage 2 will focus on 'perseverance'.

Park Ponders

This week P4C club listened to the story, 'The Day I Swapped my Dad for Two Goldfish,' for their stimulus. As always, the children generated lots of questions.



Here is one of their questions for you to ponder this week.



How do we decide how much something is worth?

Learning Power Focus



This week we are trying hard to improve our cooperation skills. We use 'Slink Linky Snake' to remind us to work together to learn and achieve.

Being a cooperative, 'Slink Linky Snake' requires us to:

- listen to others;
- say when we don't understand;
- explain things to help others;
- be kind when we disagree;
- compromise where necessary;
- and to be tolerant.



Thought for the Week

**You don't have to be great to start,
but you do have to start
to be great.**

Zig Ziglar



Thought for the week
Inspiring questions for learning
compsoc.co.uk

Current Affairs



The 2019 FIFA Women's World Cup is now well underway in France with the final less than 2 weeks away! The competition is being held across nine cities, with the semi-final and final being played in Lyon. Women's football is fast growing in popularity, with the global viewing audience for the Women's World Cup expected to reach up to one billion! But the players themselves are increasingly questioning the level of earnings and prize money they receive compared to male footballers, which are around x10 less!

Things to talk about at home...

- Have you been watching the Women's World Cup? Do you think it is shown enough on TV?
- Did you collect the men's World Cup stickers? Are you collecting the women's stickers too?
- Do you think it's fair that male footballers are paid more than female at the moment?

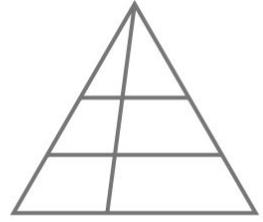
British Values Link: Mutual Respect

Picture News

Ms Phelan's Weekly Mathematics Challenge

KS1 Challenge

1. How many triangles can you count?



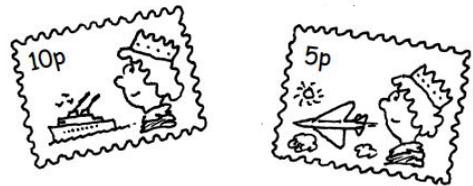
2. How many rectangles can you count?



KS2 Challenge

Tilly's parcel cost 55p to post.

She stuck on eight stamps.
Each stamp was either 10p or 5p.



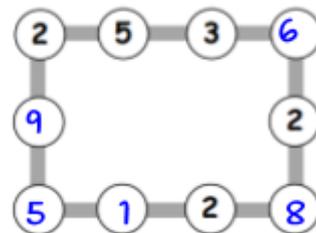
How many of each stamp did Tilly stick on her parcel?

Answers to last week's problems.

KS1 -

There are various solutions to this question.
Here is 1 example.

Make each line add up to 16.



KS2 - The total cost of a curry, pudding and tea is £5.00.

A curry costs £3.50

A pudding costs £1

A tea costs 50p

Bag2School Thank You

The PTA would like to thank everyone who donated to the Bag2School collection last week - there was a fantastic response from families and staff. Once we receive notification of the total raised, we will share it with you. There will be another collection in the autumn term so please keep us in mind if you are having a clear out!



Park Primary PTA

FUN DAY!

SATURDAY 29th June 2019

12:30pm - 3:30pm

We are seeking parents, carers and friends to help out at our Park Primary PTA Fundraising Fun Day!

Food stalls, Cakes, Tombola, Hook-a-Duck, Lucky Dip, Face Painting, Shoot the Goal, Bouncy Castles, Raffle, Coconut Shy, barbeque and much more!

- We need volunteers to look after Stalls and Games. Can you do face painting, sell cakes or help with games to raise money?

- We need donations of clean soft toys and teddy bears and undamaged children's books for our 'Teddy & Book



Tombola'. These can be brought to the school office.

- We also need your help with making and selling delicious homemade cakes and savoury snacks (deliver to school on Friday 28th June).

Can you help?

If you are able to lend a hand at Fun Day, please leave your contact details with staff in the school office.

All Fun Day proceeds buy books and equipment and fund activities, events and outings for your children.

Dates for the Diary

Sharing Assemblies 9:00-9:30am

Date	KS1	KS2
28.06.19	Marie Curie	Brunel
5.07.19	Da Gama	Pankhurst
12.07.19	Marco Polo	Berners Lee
19.07.19	Star of the Term Assembly	

June 2019

Saturday 29th PTA Fun Day

July 2019

Monday 8th Sports Day 1 (Competitive Sports - KS1 PM, KS2 AM)

Wednesday 10th Transition Day

Wednesday 10th Aldrin and Edison Parent/ Carer meetings

Friday 12th End of Year Reports Home

Friday 12th Choral Speaking Event: Shakespeare in the Park 2:00pm-3:00pm

Monday 15th Sports Day 2 (Whole School PM)

Wednesday 17th GO Run for Fun AM

Friday 19th Star of the Term Assembly AM

Friday 19th Year 6 Leavers' Assembly PM

Friday 19th Last day of term

September 2019

Wednesday 4th Children back to school
